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TO AMEMBASSY TAIPEI

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SUBJECT: EXIMBANK FINANCING FOR CHINA AIRLINES, LTD.

1. EXIMBANK SENT THE FOLLOWING CABLE TO THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE: QUOTE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE OPERATING AGREEMENT THIS IS TO INFORM YOU THAT EXIMBANK ON MARCH 11, 1976, AUTHORIZED A LOAN TO CHINA AIRLINES, LTD. FOR THE PURCHASE OF A BOEING 747SP AIRCRAFT AND SPARE PARTS. TERMS CALL FOR A CASH PAYMENT OF DOLS 4,950,000 OR 10 PERCENT OF U.S. DOLLAR COSTS, AN EXIMBANK DIRECT CREDIT OF DOLS 22,275,000 OR 45 PERCENT, AND OTHER FINANCING OF DOLS 22,275,000 OR 45 PERCENT NOT GUARANTEED BY EXIMBANK. THE LOAN WILL BE GUARANTEED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF CHINA. REPAYMENT WILL BE IN 20 EQUAL SEMI-ANNUAL INSTALLMENTS BEGINNING NOVEMBER 10, 1977, WITH THE NON-GUARANTEED FINANCING BEING REPAID IN THE FIRST 10 AND EXIMBANK IN THE LAST 10. THE INTEREST ON EXIMBANK'S CREDIT WILL BE AT THE RATE OF 9 PERCENT PER ANNUM AND THERE WILL BE A COMMITMENT FEE OF 1/2 OF 1 PERCENT PER ANNUM. WE ASK YOUR CONCURRENCE. UNQUOTE. KISSINGER

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